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068. VERITAS (2)

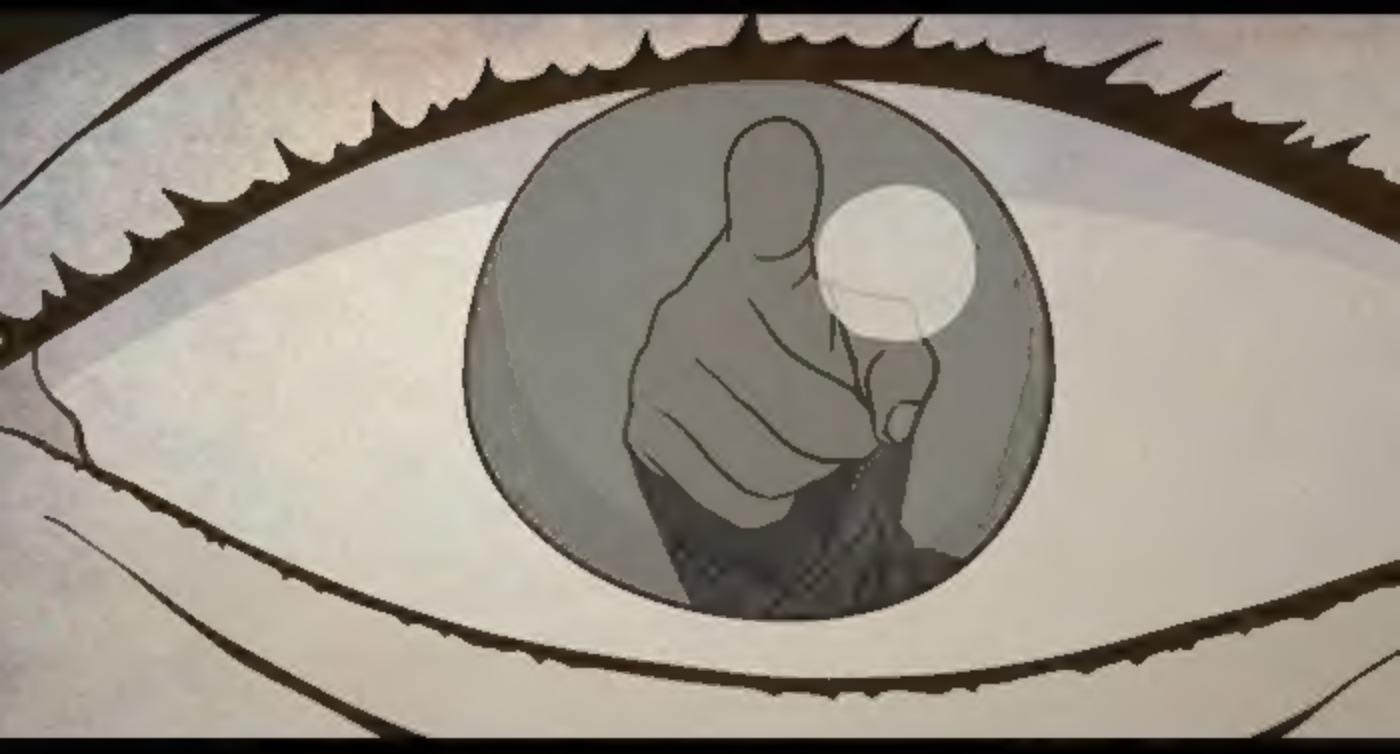
THIS FLAT DIMENSION IN WHICH WE LIVE,

AND YOU, WHO EXISTS WITHIN THIS DIMENSION,

ARE NOTHING MORE THAN AN AGGREGATION OF SIGNS AND SYMBOLS.

COMPOSED OF
POINTS, LINES, SURFACES AND COLORS.

WHICH THEMSELVES ARE ULTIMATELY
JUST 1'S AND 0'S.



BUT DOES THAT MAKE THEM COMPLETELY FREE FROM US?

NO, CERTAINLY NOT. THAT CANNOT BE.

THAT ISN'T EVEN A POSSIBLE STRUCTURE.

THIS IS 1'S AND 0'S.

THIS IS 1'S
AND 0'S.

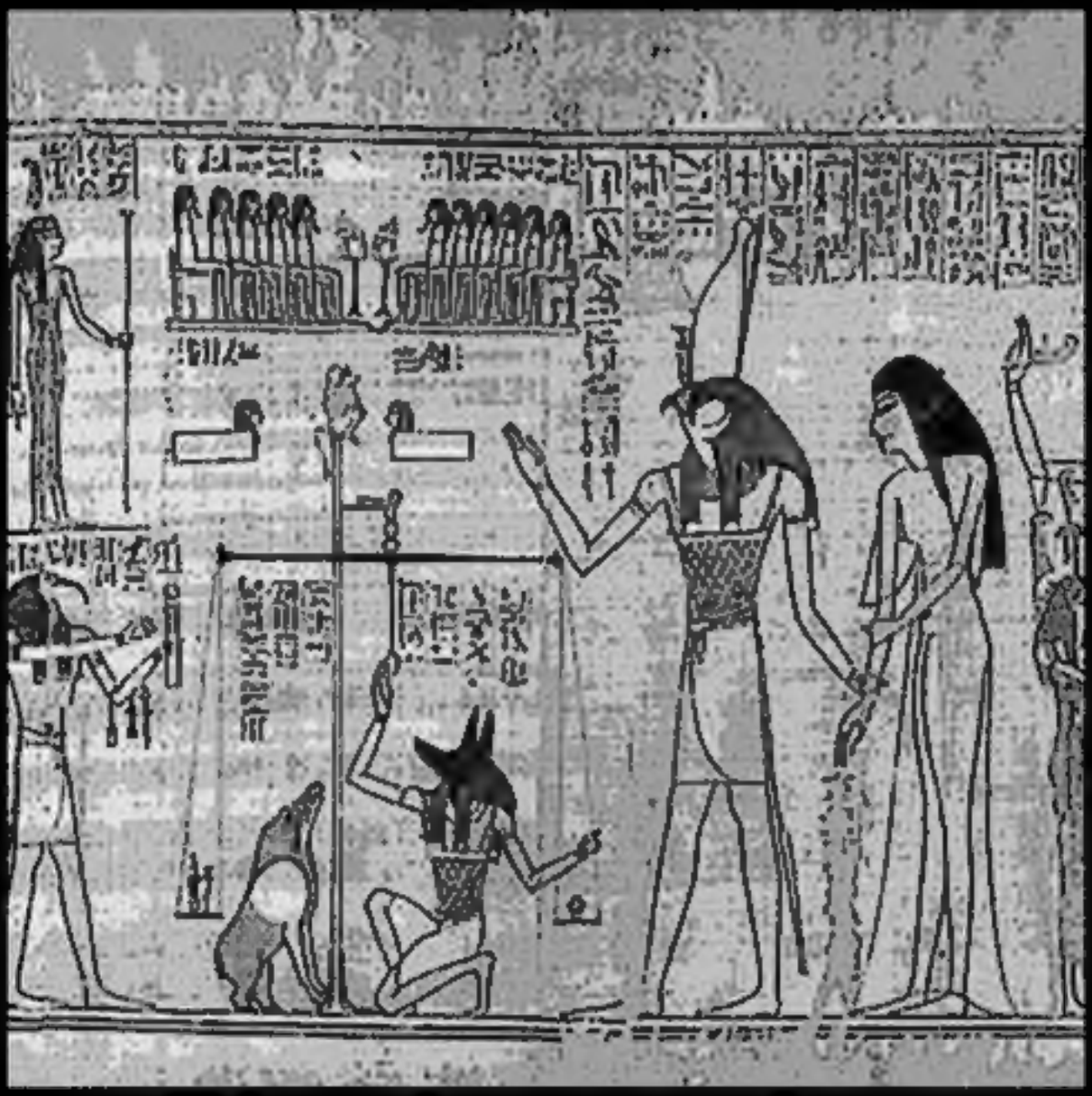
AND THIS TOO
IS MADE UP OF
INFORMATION KNOWN
AS 1'S AND 0'S.

EVEN THEY ARE SIMPLY AGGREGATES OF DATA,

BUT THEY CAN REACT AND BE INFLUENCED.

THEY INTERVENE IN THE SIGNS
AND SYMBOLS WHICH THEY HAVE DETERMINED
AND ASSIGNED VALUES TO,
AND THEY PROJECT THEIR EMOTIONS ONTO THEM.

DEPENDING ON THE ERA,



SOMETIMES THEY USE PIGMENTS,

SOMETIMES PAINTS,

AND SOMETIMES LIGHT.

ONLY THE METHOD OF CREATION HAS CHANGED.

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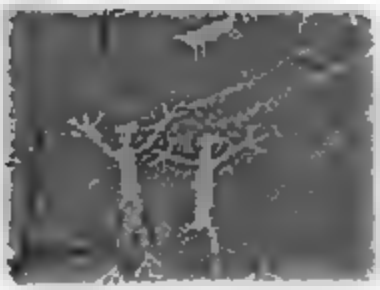
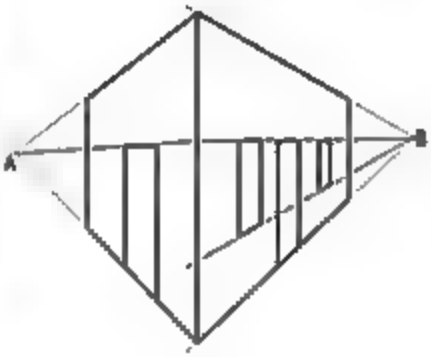




ONLY THE DEPTH OF CREATION HAS CHANGED.

THOSE WHO BELONG TO HIGHER DIMENSIONS HAVE ALWAYS ENJOYED FORMING,

AND ADMIRING THEIR LOWER DIMENSION.

BUT THE LIMIT TO THIS IS CLEAR.

EVEN THE GREATEST CREATOR,

EVEN AN OMNISCIENT OBSERVER
WHO ADMIRES THAT CREATION,

CAN ONLY CREATE AND INTERPRET

WHAT THEY ARE ABLE TO PERCEIVE.

THEY THINK, THAT THEY CREATED 'US,'

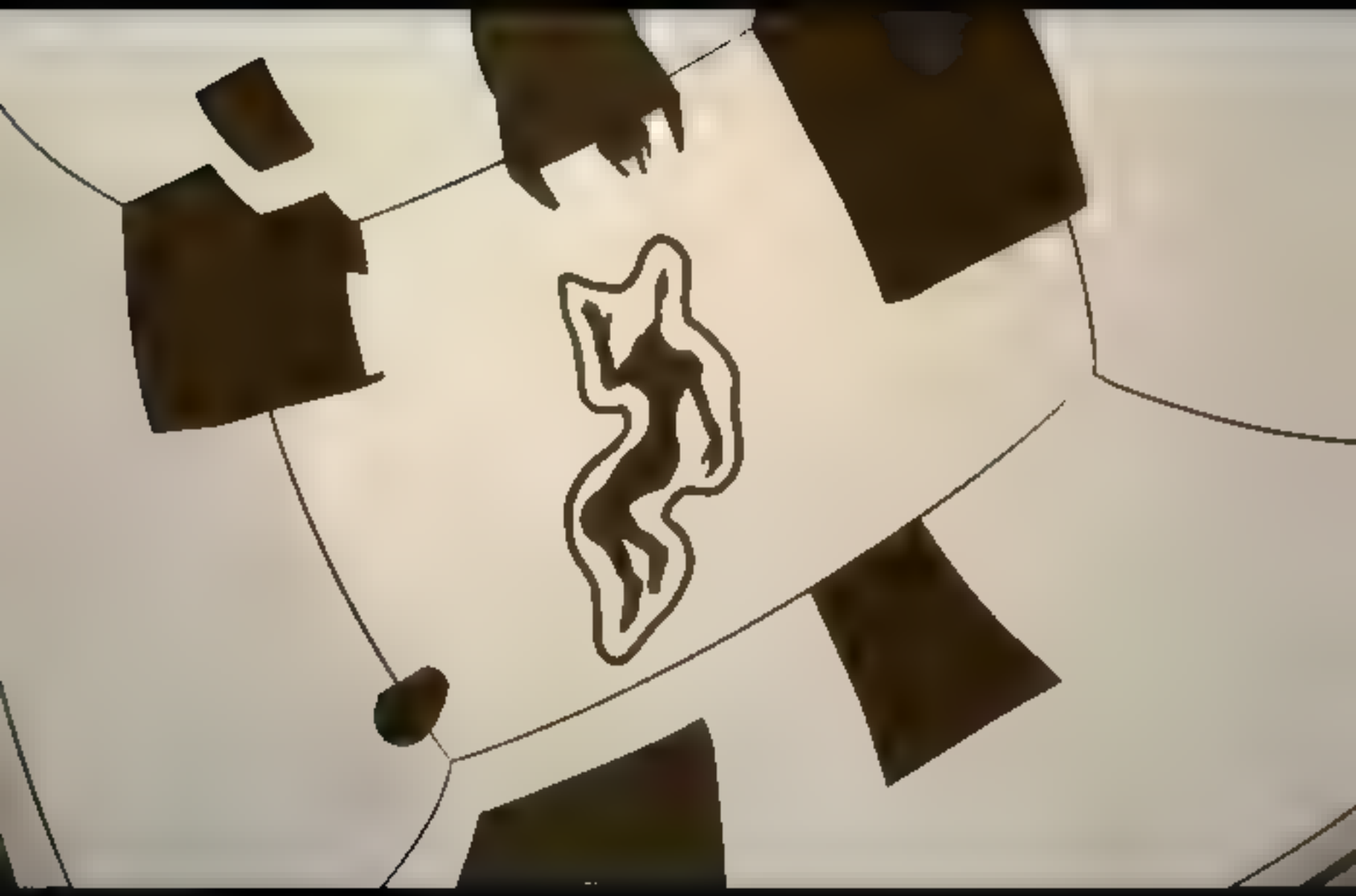
BUT IN FACT, THEY ARE SIMPLY
LOOKING INTO 'THEMSELVES.'

THIS WORLD IS NOTHING MORE THAN A MIRROR

WHICH REFLECTS THIS IRONY.

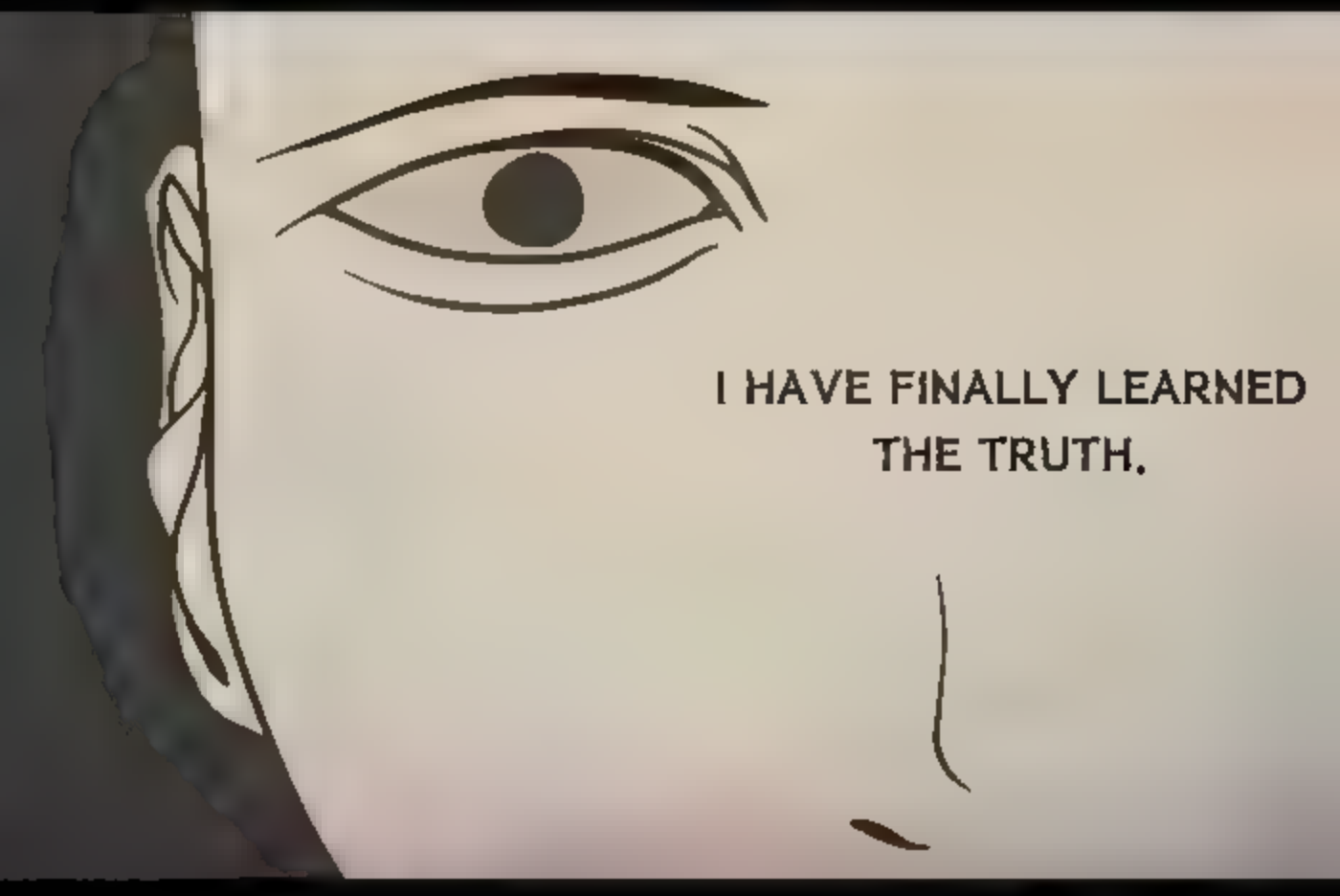
I SEE.....
SO THOSE WHO WERE WATCHING ME, WERE ULTIMATELY JUST LOOKING AT THEIR OWN 'INTERPRETATION.'

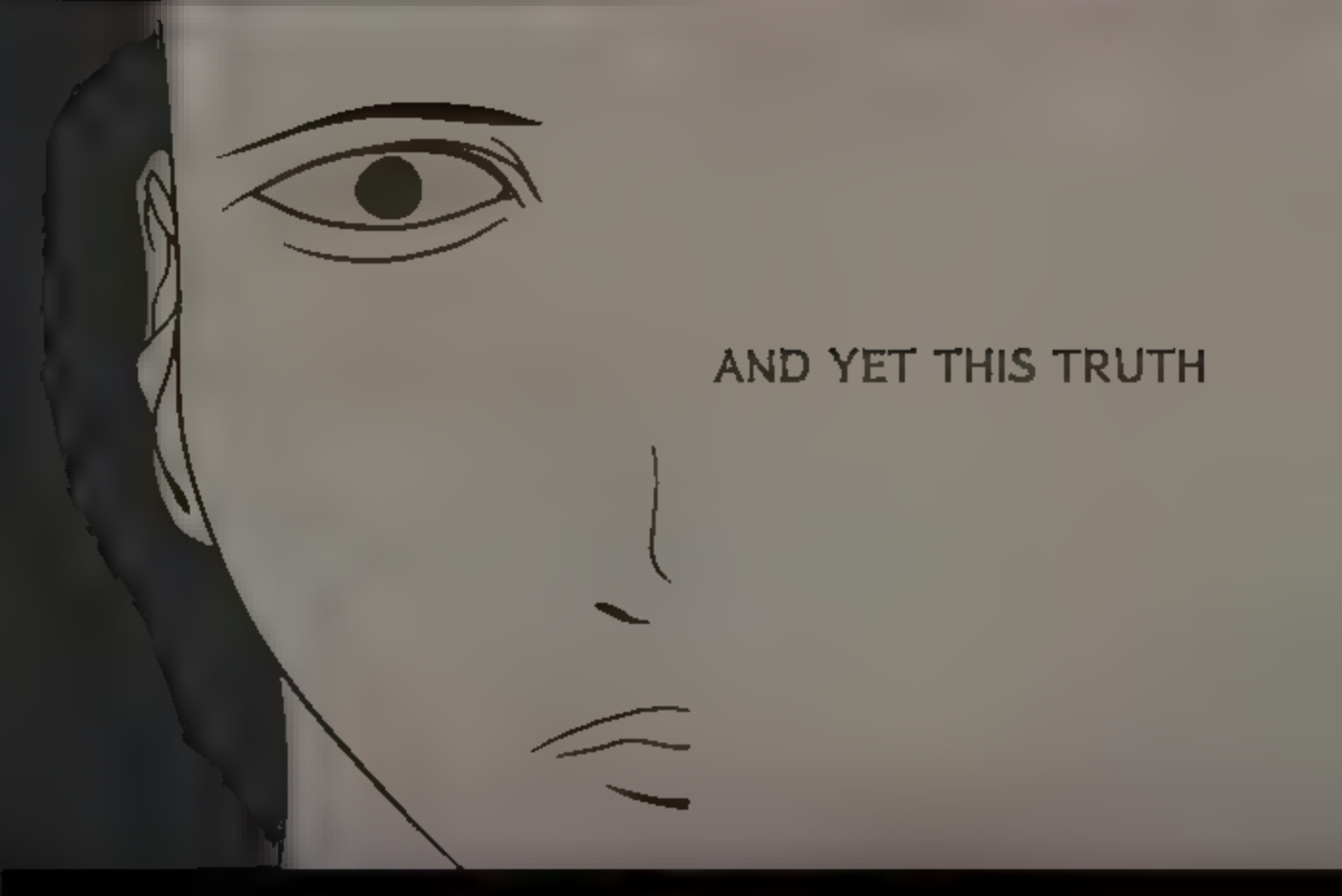
IF IT WEREN'T FOR YOU, I WOULD HAVE NEVER KNOWN THE TRUTH ABOUT THE WORLD TO WHICH I BELONG.



I WOULD NEVER HAVE REALIZED
ON MY OWN HOW I CAME TO EXIST

AND HOW I PERISHED.


I HAVE FINALLY LEARNED
THE TRUTH.


AND YET THIS TRUTH

ISTENCE.
I UNDERSTAND.

THE FACT THAT THOSE WHO ATTAIN THE 'TRUTH' MUST INEVITABLY REALIZE THE OTHER 'TRUTH' THAT THEY HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO DISCARD ONESELF.

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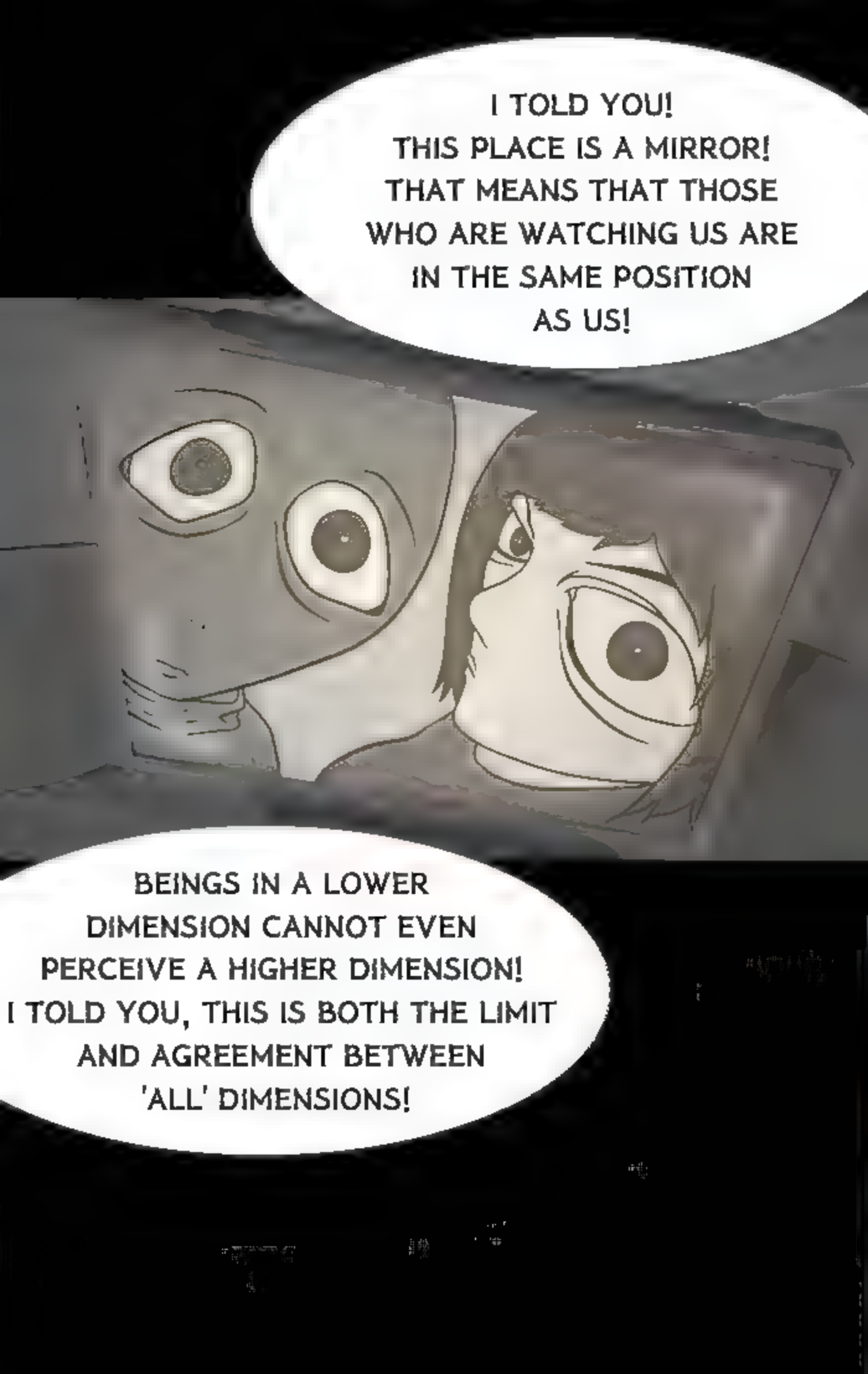
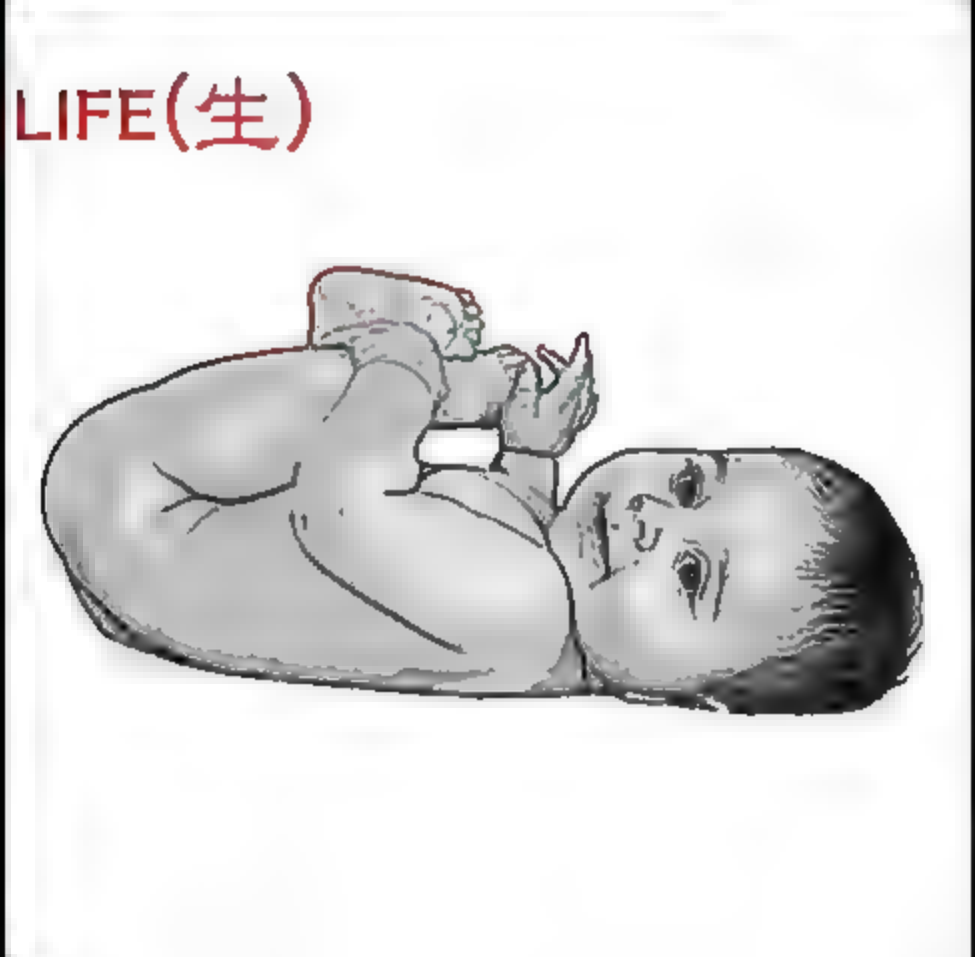
AHAHAHAHAHA!!!

DON'T YOU GET IT? DO YOU STILL NOT UNDERSTAND WHAT I MEANT BY "DON'T FEEL BAD"?


I TOLD YOU!
THIS PLACE IS A MIRROR!
THAT MEANS THAT THOSE
WHO ARE WATCHING US ARE
IN THE SAME POSITION
AS US!
BEINGS IN A LOWER
DIMENSION CANNOT EVEN
PERCEIVE A HIGHER DIMENSION!
I TOLD YOU, THIS IS BOTH THE LIMIT
AND AGREEMENT BETWEEN
'ALL' DIMENSIONS!

YOU STILL DON'T GET IT?! YOU STILL HAVEN'T FIGURED IT OUT?! HEHEHEHEHE.

THOSE BEINGS ON THE 'OTHER SIDE'!
DON'T KNOW WHY THEY EXIST EITHER!



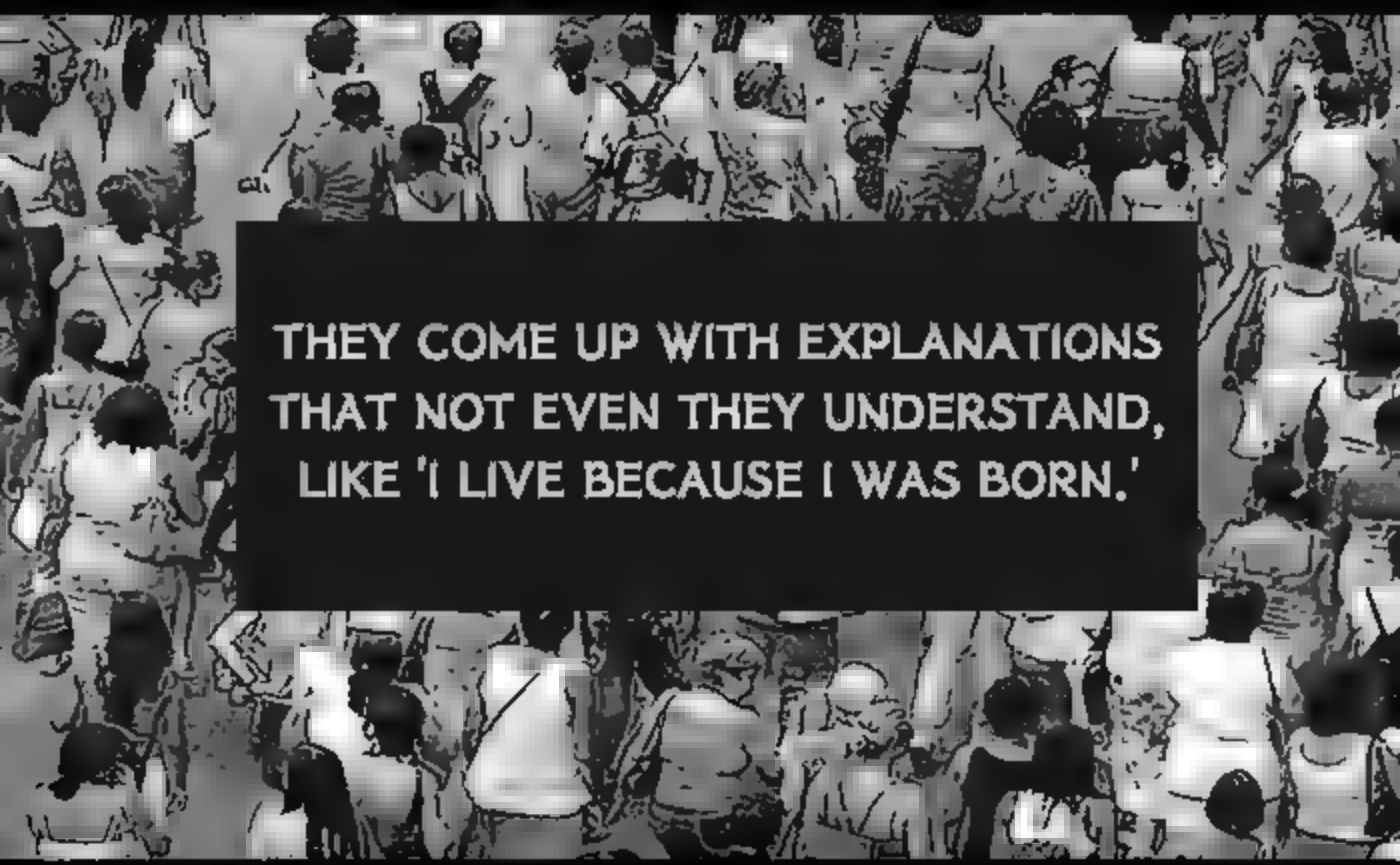
THEY ALSO

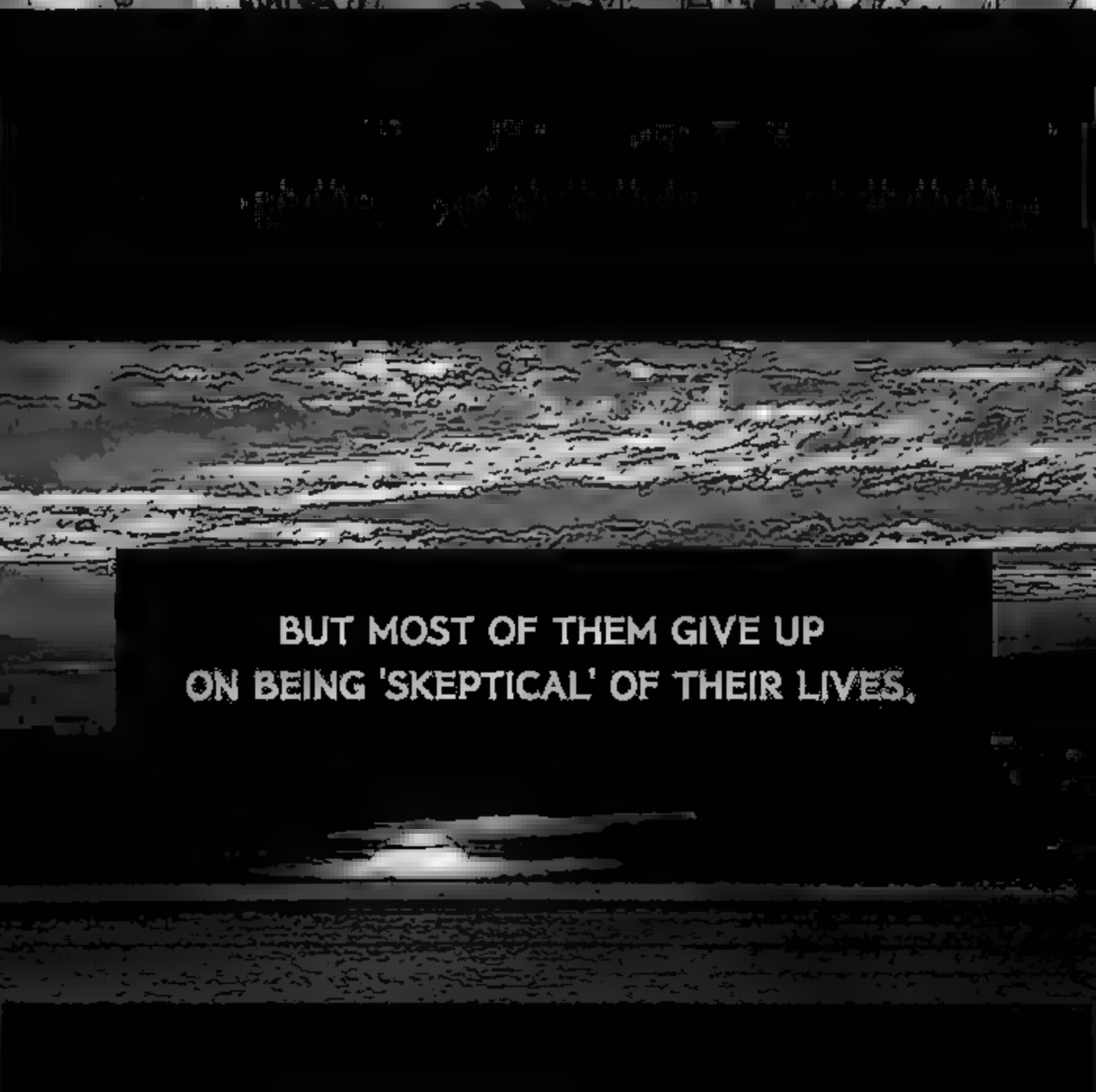
ARE SIMPLY BORN, LIVE AND THEN DIE.

THEY DON'T KNOW EITHER

THE REASON OR PURPOSE FOR THEIR LIVES
OR THEIR EXISTENCE!

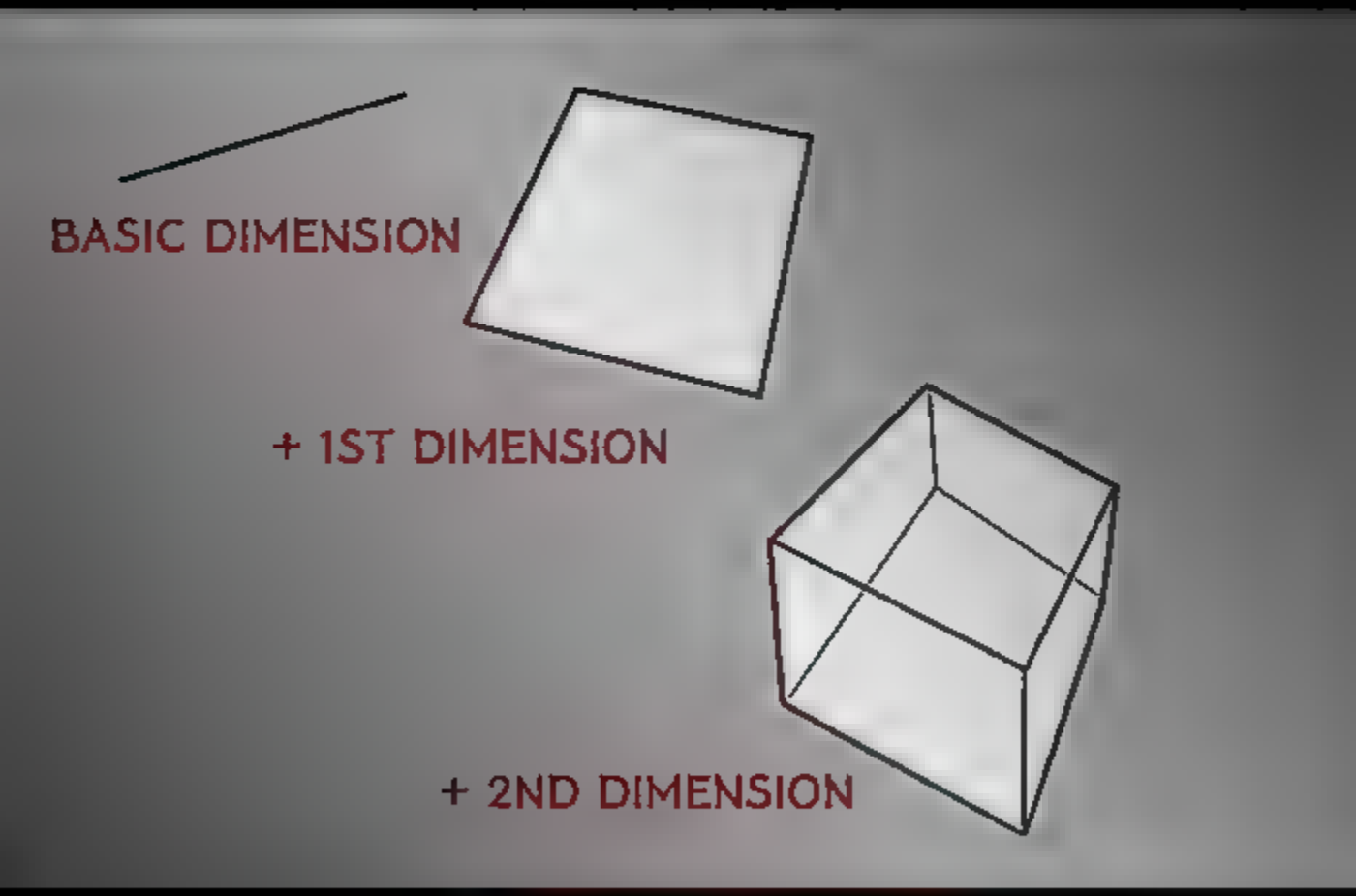
AT BEST,


THEY COME UP WITH EXPLANATIONS
THAT NOT EVEN THEY UNDERSTAND,
LIKE 'I LIVE BECAUSE I WAS BORN.'

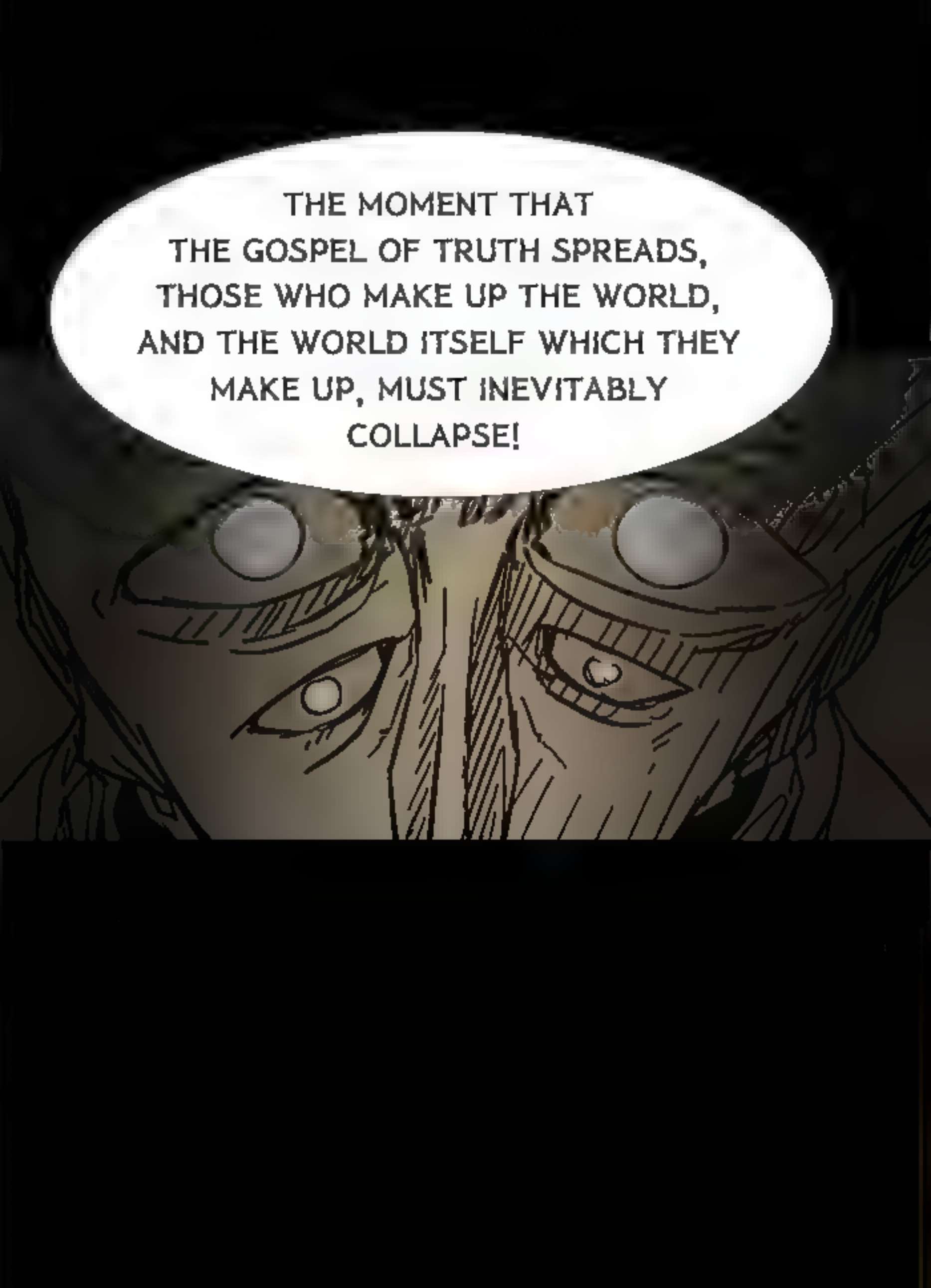

BUT MOST OF THEM GIVE UP
ON BEING 'SKEPTICAL' OF THEIR LIVES.

BECAUSE

NO ONE CAN TRULY PERCEIVE
THE DIMENSION TO WHICH THEY BELONG!

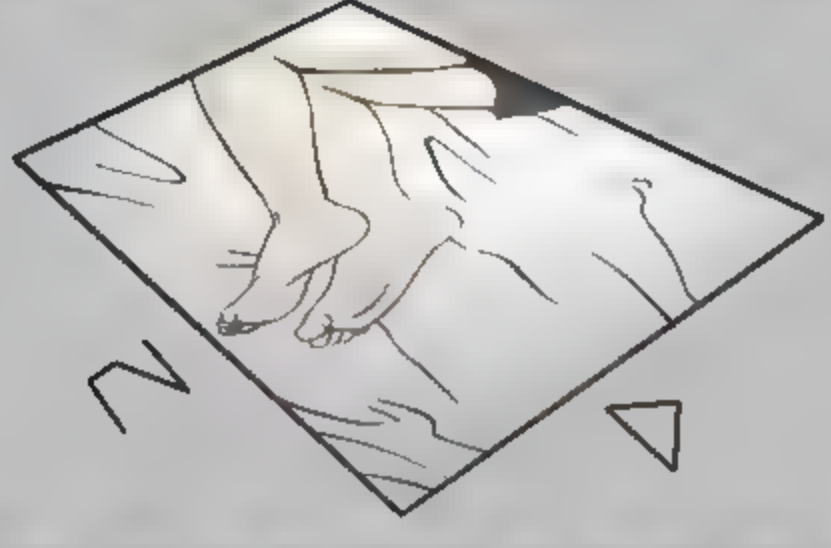


ALL DIMENSIONS! ARE MAINTAINED
BASED ON A LACK OF UNDERSTANDING!

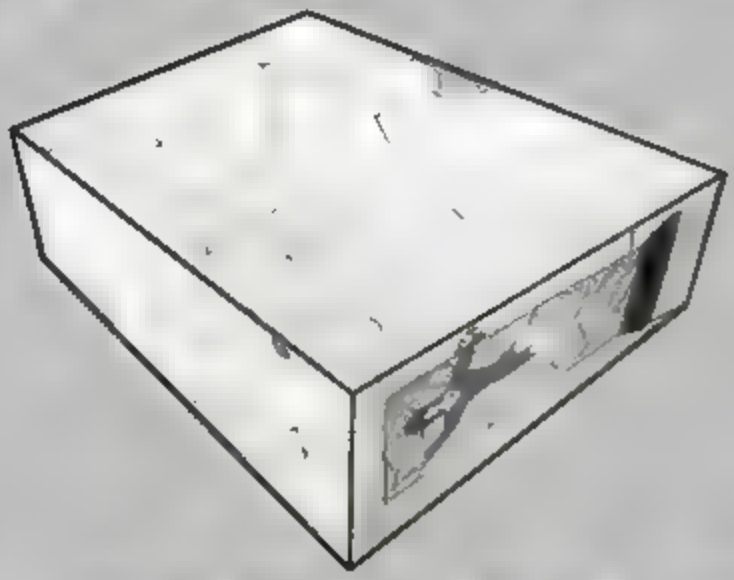

THE MOMENT THAT THE GOSPEL OF TRUTH SPREADS, THOSE WHO MAKE UP THE WORLD, AND THE WORLD ITSELF WHICH THEY MAKE UP, MUST INEVITABLY COLLAPSE!

I SEE. I HAVE FINALLY REALIZED.

THAT THE 'WORLD' IS MERELY
AN ILLUSION WITHIN A MIRROR
CREATED IN A HIGHER DIMENSION.



IT IS MERELY ONE CROSS SECTION
OF AN INFINITE MIRROR,



IN WHICH THERE IS NO WAY
OF KNOWING WHY WE WERE BORN,
WHY WE EXIST, OR WHY WE PERISH.

...AND, I
HAVE BROKEN THE PLEDGE OF IGNORANCE, THEREFORE I HAVE LOST MY OWN REASON FOR EXISTING.

UNDER THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN MY OWN WILL, THE WILL OF OTHERS, AND ALL CREATORS,

.....I HAVE FINALLY REALIZED

"WHAT IF YOU ARE—

"YOU, WHO ARE NEITHER A MAN NOR A WOMAN,

NOW... I HAVE FINALLY.....

REALIZED.....

IT'S A SAD THING.

EVEN IF THE TRUTH DOES SET US FREE.

NOWHERE DOES
A BEING EXIST

THAT CAN HANDLE THE TRUTH....

IT'S TRULY,

A TERRIBLE,

TRAGEDY....

VERITAS_THE END

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